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In re Application of:

Applicant

: Michael R. Oldenburg

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: 10/781,175

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Title

: RETROFITTABLE SEVERE

**DUTY SEAL FOR A SHAFT** 

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Examiner: Peavey, Enoch E.

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